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personnel or disbursing officer, or one of their representative who shall witness the signature. The Military Departments may waive this requirement for senior enlisted service members and loan repayment allotments payable to the Army Emergency Relief, Navy Relief Society, the Air Force Aid Society, and American Red Cross.

- (3) Charitable contribution allotment requests by enlisted members may be accepted without a witnessing official, when submitted on contribution forms in accordance with DOD Directive 5035.1 and DOD Instruction 5035.5.
- (4) Retired military personnel need not submit allotment requests on the prescribed forms. A signed personal letter may be used to support an allotment request, change, or cancellation by retired military members as long as all required information is provided.

§ 59.4 Responsibilities.

(a) The Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller) shall exercise primary management responsibility for the voluntary military pay allotment program and provide assistance to the Military Departments in the form of instructions, requirements, reviews, and other guidance.

(b) The Secretaries of the Military Departments shall ensure that this part is implemented by the Military Services concerned.

PART 62b—DRUNK AND DRUGGED DRIVING BY DOD PERSONNEL

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APPENDIX 1 TO PART 62B—DRIVER'S LICENSE INFORMATION (SAMPLE LETTER)

APPENDIX 2 TO PART 62B—STATE DRIVER'S LI-CENSE AGENCIES

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§62b.1 Purpose.

This part:

(a) Establishes DoD policy regarding drunk and drugged driving by DoD personnel (hereafter referred to as "intoxicated driving").

(b) Assigns responsibility for and explains DoD policy and procedures on the establishment and operation of the DoD Intoxicated Driving Prevention Program, which is designed to address the problem of and increase the awareness and attention given to intoxicated driving by DoD personnel.

(c) Establishes the DoD Intoxicated Driving Prevention Task Force (DIDPTF).

§62b.2 Applicability.

This part applies to the Office of the Secretary of Defense, the Military Departments, the Organization of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the Unified and Specified Commands, and the Defense Agencies (hereafter referred to collectively as "DoD Components"). The term "Military Services," as used herein, refers to the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

§62b.3 Policy.

(a) Intoxicated driving is incompatible with the maintenance of high standards of performance, military discipline, DoD personnel reliability, and readiness of military units and supporting activities. It is DoD policy to reduce significantly the incidence of intoxicated driving within the Department of Defense through a coordinated program of education, indentification, law enforcement, and treatment. Specifically, the goal of the DoD Intoxicated Driving Prevention Program is to reduce the number of fatalities and injuries suffered by DoD personnel and the amount of property damage that result from intoxicated driving. Persons who engage in intoxicated driving, regardless of the geographic location of the incident, have demonstrated a serious disregard for the safety of themselves and others. It is appropriate for military commanders, in the exercise of their inherent authority, to protect the mission of an installation and the safety of persons and property therein to restrict driving privileges of persons who engage in such actions.

(b) The Department of Defense shall participate in the national effort to